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- (a) (1) The Advisory Council consists of 7 members.
- (2) (i) The Secretary shall appoint the members from a list submitted to the Secretary by:
- 1. Appropriate academic or research facilities having expertise in this area;
 - 2. The Chief Medical Examiner; and
- 3. The Secretary of the Department of the Environment.
- (ii) The number of names on the list shall be 3 times the number of vacancies.
- (b) Each member shall be an individual with demonstrated scientific and technical expertise in the field of toxicology, epidemiology, or occupational medicine.
 - (c) (1) The term of a member is 5 years.
- (2) The terms of members are staggered as required by the terms provided for members of the Council on July 1, 1988.
- (3) At the end of a term, a member continues to serve until a successor is appointed and qualifies.
- (4) A member who is appointed after a term has begun serves only for the rest of the term and until a successor is appointed and qualifies.
- (d) The Secretary may remove a member for incompetence or misconduct.

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